United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510 June 19, 2003

Dear Aung San Suu Kyi:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your National League for Democracy colleagues as we commemorate the occasion of your 58th birthday. We would also like to remember and honor those NLD supporters who were killed, injured and arrested in the May 30 attack.

Please know that while you remain under house arrest, those of us who cherish freedom and democracy around the world stand by your side.

Last week, we joined our colleagues in the Senate in an unprecedented bipartisan show of support for passage of the "Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003." It is our greatest hope that in the very near future the NLD will able to assume its rightful role as the legitimate, democratically elected representatives of the Burmese people.

Moreover, we want to convey to you, and to all the people of Burma, our heartfelt support for Burma's just cause and a future based on respect for human rights, democracy, the rule of law, and freedom for all.

Sincerely,

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